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Title:	METHOD FOR CONTROLLING AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE OPERATING WITH DIRECT FUEL INJECTION				

Commissioner For Patents

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Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows.